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Method And Apparatus For Communicating Data Over A Bus According To Redefinable Configurations

(Title of the Invention)

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